# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# DISINVESTMENT
# LOK SABHA

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DISINVESTMENT OF KANISHKA HOTEL
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**Will the Minister of DISINVESTMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government have put off the disinvestment of Kanishka Hotel due to difficulties in unbundling the utilities and real estate aspects it shares with adjoining Ashok Yatri Niwas Hotel;

(b) if so, the time by which the issues are likely to be sorted out;

(c) whether Hotel Ashok and Hotel Janpath have been taken out of ITDC disinvestment basket; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

## Answer

MINISTER OF DISINVESTMENT AND MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION(SHRI ARUN SHOURIE)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of answer to (a) above.

(c) & (d) Hotel Ashok and Hotel Janpath, New Delhi have been excluded from the disinvestment process pending formulation of fresh proposals by the Ministry of Tourism & Culture. As regards Hotel Janpath, the Ministry of Tourism & Culture proposes to utilise the hotel to establish Bharat Paryatan Bhavan.